पेट्रोलियम उत्पादों की मांग पर निर्भर करेगी, तथापि, यह सुनिश्चित करने के प्रयास किये जा रहे हैं कि शोधन क्षमता और मांग में बहुत अधिक अन्तर न हो ।

**Petrol, Diesel and LPG Dealers in Orissa**

2975. SHRI PRAVAT KUMAR SAMANTARAY:

SHRI SARADA MOHANTY:

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state;

(a) the names and addresses of petrol, diesel outlets and Indane gas and LPG gas dealers in Orissa in 1990 and 1991 so far; and

(b) what is the criteria followed therein?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN *J* HE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI S, KRISHNA KUMAR): (a) As on 1-10-1991, there were 82 LPG distributorships and 325 petrol/diesel retail outlets in Orissa. Collection/compilation of their names and addresses may not be commensurate with the objective in view.

(b) Selections of dealers/distributors are done n accordance with the dealer selection guidelines in force from time to time.

**Winding-up of oil and natural gas commission**

2976. PROF. SAURIN BHATTACHAR-YA: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have decided to wind up the Oil and Natural Gas Commission and to hand over the business of the Commission to a company;

(b) whether it is also a fact that the decision has been taken at the instance of some foreign companies to ensure various financial packages from those companies/ organisations; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THI MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM ANE NATURAL GAS WITH ADDJTTONAI CHARGE OF MINISTER OF STATE » THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHR S. KRISHNA KUMAR); (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

**Flaring of Natural Gas**

2977. SHRI KAMAL MORARKA: Wil the Minister of PETROLEUM ANE NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) what is the quantity and value o natural gas that had flared during the las five years, yearwise;

(b) whether Government have receivei any concrete proposal for exploitation o gas for the benefit of power and fertilise plants; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THI MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM ANT NATURAL GAS WITH ADDITIONA1 CHARGE OF MINISTER OF STATE JJ THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHR S. KRISHNA KUMAR):

| (a) year | Qty. flared MMSCM | Value (Rs./crore at current sellin prices) |
|---|---|---|
| 1986-87 | 2736.2 | 304.75 |
| 1987-88 | 3422.8 | 413.87 |
| 1988-89 | 3874.1 | 476.58 |
| 1989-90 | 5733.6 | 740.73 |
| 1990-91 | 5161.4 | 662.28 |

(b) and (c) Depending on the availabilit of gas, allocations for power and fertilize plants are given high priority. So far ap